

9. The method of claim 1, wherein the metal salt is zinc citrate and wherein the metal salt is present in an amount from about 0.05% to about 5.0% by weight of the oral care composition.

10. The method of claim 1, wherein vanitrope is present in an amount from about 0.05% to about 0.15% by weight of the oral care composition. 5

11. The method of claim 1, wherein the oral care composition further comprises from about 5% to about 80% by weight water. 10

12. The method of claim 1, wherein from about 0.006% to about 0.025%, by weight of the composition, of vanillyl butyl ether is added.

13. The method of claim 1, wherein from about 0.02% to about 0.04%, by weight of the composition, of vanitrope is added. 15

14. The method of claim 1, wherein from about 0.02% to about 0.04%, by weight of the composition, of zingerone is added.

15. The method of claim 1, wherein the metal salt is zinc citrate. 20

16. A method for improving taste of an oral care composition, comprising: mixing from about 0.02% to about 0.04%, by weight of the composition, of vanitrope; from about 0.001% to about 0.025% by weight of the composition, vanillyl butyl ether; from about 0.02% to about 0.04%, by weight of the composition, zingerone; and zinc citrate. 25

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